

## MYSTERY VEILS WILSON CYCLE

Two-Wheeler Arrives at  
White House for  
President.

Carefully crated and addressed to Woodrow Wilson, the White House, Washington, a 1920 man's model bicycle arrived at the Executive offices yesterday and was accepted when the expressman said "no charges." Mystery has been the consistent keynote throughout the day of all official comment regarding the use to which the machine may be put.

The first word of the President's new wheel came over the wires yesterday morning from Westfield, Mass., where it was announced that a firm of manufacturers had shipped a bicycle to the White House.

"We have ordered no bicycle for the President and I have not prescribed bicycle riding for him," said Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, the White House physician.

One theory advanced here today was that the machine may be used in the White House as a stationary exerciser for the President.

(Public Ledger Service.)

**Hold Princess on Charge  
Of Smuggling Art Objects**

Princess Marie Beatrice Massimo of Bourbon, has been arrested at Milan, Italy, for attempting to take art objects valued at \$100,000 out of Italy.

Frontier inspectors say they found the treasures under the mattress of her Pullman berth.

Take It from Uncle Eph



TH' PROPER length of a gal's skirt should be just a little over two feet.

No matter what his designs may be, you kin always see through a bow-legged feller.

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## LEAGUE OF NATIONS ACTS PEACEMAKER

London, June 14.—The league of nations council met today upon request of a member nation that it act as peacemaker under Article 2 of the covenant.

Prince Firouz, Persian foreign minister, formally requested that the council meet to consider the situation in the Caspian region, where Bolshevik forces bombarded the city of Enzali and seized warships interned at that port formerly under the command of Gen. Deniken, deposed anti-Bolshevik leader.

Of the world's boots and shoes, more than 4 per cent are made in Massachusetts.

## REPAVING SOON TO BE STARTED

Specifications Are Completed for Improvement  
Of Many Streets.

Specifications and details for laying 55,000 square yards of asphalt street paving and 60,000 square yards of asphalt street resurfacing in the District have been completed by the surface division of the District government and it is expected that bids for the work will be opened later this week.

Appropriations of \$1,439,200 for new streets and for the repair of streets and roads, and \$300,000 for new sidewalks and curbs, are provided for in the District appropriations.

The allowance made by Congress for Washington streets is insufficient, according to heads of the division, and the apportionment of funds on various highways and thoroughfares will be determined in amount by the importance of the street.

Among other streets that will be repaired are the following:

Northwest—Connecticut avenue, Chapel road to Chevy Chase circle; C street, Twelfth to Ohio avenue; E street, Virginia avenue to Twenty-third street; Twenty-fourth street, K to Virginia avenue; Nineteenth street, E to New York avenue; New Hampshire avenue, I to K; New Hampshire street, Jefferson street, K to M street; Girard street east from Fifteenth and California street, Phelps to Twenty-third street.

Southeast—Nichols avenue, Sheridan to the entrance of St. Elizabeth's Hospital; Massachusetts avenue, Fourteenth to Fifteenth street; Potomac avenue, Eleventh to Thirteenth street; Fifteenth street, E to G street; G street, Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Potomac avenue, Pennsylvania avenue to Sixteenth street; and G street, Eighth to Ninth street.

Northeast—Fourteenth street, E to G street; and Thirteenth street, C to D street.

Southwest—Fourteenth street, D to Water street.

Hyattsville, Md.

Hyattsville, Md., June 14.—Commencement exercises of the Hyattsville High School started yesterday morning at 11 o'clock when Rev. Charles E. McAllister, rector of St. Matthew's Parish, delivered the commencement sermon at Pinkney Memorial Church. The next event on the program is the class night exercises Tuesday evening, in the parish house of Pinkney Memorial Church. Graduating exercises are to be held Friday evening in the new State armory.

Commencement exercises at the high school in Upper Marlboro start tonight with declamation contests by the following boy students for the medal offered by the First National Bank of South Maryland: Edward Christmas, Beale Sussner, Fred Binger, William Hill and Robert Lee Hall. The following girls will strive for the medal offered by the Marlboro School Improvement Association: Mittle Bowling, Inez Coffren, Edna Mayhew, Adelaide Traband and Ida Wyvill. Wednesday evening the plays, "The Florist Shop" and "Mrs. Pat and the Law," are to be presented. Graduation exercises will take place Thursday, when T. Howard Duckett, of Bladensburg, is to deliver the address.

## VIRGINIA FETES CONVOY PARTY

Cross Country Motorists  
Make First Stop in  
Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., June 14.—The motor truck convoy which left Washington today arrived here at 6:30 p. m. to spend the night, en route from Washington to Los Angeles over the National Bankhead Highway. The convoy is composed of fifty cars. The personnel includes 30 officers, 160 men and 20 civilian guests.

This was the first stop on the transcontinental journey. A program under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce was successfully carried out.

The convoy was met outside the city by the reception committee, mayor and city council, accompanied by the Fredericksburg Band. After a short street parade the convoy went to the camp ground at "Fairview." Public exercises were held at and in front of the Princess Anne Hotel, and included addresses by Lieut. Gov. B. F. Buchanan, Representative S. Otis Bland, Mayor J. P. Rowe and State Senator C. O'Connor Goolrick, of Fredericksburg.

The convoy will start for Richmond early tomorrow morning.

**Prince of Wales' Cycle  
To Go Under Hammer**

The bicycle owned and used by the Prince of Wales will be sold at auction to raise funds for the erection of a monument by the Cyclists' War Memorial Association of Meriden Green, England.

The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says what she can't understand is how a baseball player attempting to steal second base can fall down just before reaching it, as they nearly always do, and still get there so often.

**Wears Funny Shirts,  
But They Come Back**

Admiral Sir Percy Scott, of London, wears funny shirts. They have white bodies and striped sleeves. "And I don't lose them in the laundry," explains the admiral.

## MISSION BOARD BUYS MD. PARK

Garrett County to Have  
School Denver, Col., Of-  
fered \$1,000,000 For.

Mountain Park, Md., June 14.—Formal transfer of the stock of the Mountain Lake Park Association has just been made to the Board of Home and Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Dr. Worthington L. Slutz represented the church society and the following were present as representatives of the directorate board: Rev. Dr. John F. Goucher and Rev. Dr. Charles W. Baldwin, Baltimore; Rev. Dr. W. D. Reed, Gilmor S. Hamill and Charles S. Davis.

Liquidation of the indebtedness of the Mountain Lake Park Association was provided for, through public subscription, the amount being in the neighborhood of \$17,000, which was subscribed by people of Oakland, Mountain Lake Park and vicinity. Dr. Slutz, who is to be manager, says the original plans of the mission board are to be carried out in full and that many new features will be added as the plans and scope of the work now being undertaken develop.

With the acquisition of the property at Mountain Lake Park, Garrett County will retain what Denver, Col., offered \$1,000,000 for—the establishment in or near that city of the School of Missions. It will be established and maintained here by the Board of Missions.

It takes only one-tenth of a drop of oil to keep all of the machinery of the watch in good running order for a year.

## ABDUCTOR DEMANDS \$6,000 FOR LOST BABY

Philadelphia, June 14.—Belief that they have heard from the abductor of little Blakely Coughlin, 18-month-old boy kidnaped from his home in Morristown, June 2, was expressed by the parents when a letter, postmarked Atlantic City, N. J., was received by them early today.

The writer demanded \$6,000 ransom. The parents say they will deal with the sender privately when he furnishes proof he has the child.

**Union of Teachers Loses  
Donation to City's Schools**

Opposition of George W. Brackenridge to unionization of teachers, was cited as his reason for withdrawing his proposed donation of \$50,000 to the schools of San Antonio, Tex.

## BLACK PLAGUE HITS TAMPICO OIL FIELD

Bubonic plague has spread to Tampico, the important oil center on the east coast of Mexico, with the first fatal case reported, the State Department was advised yesterday.

The American consul at Tampico reported he had been asked to obtain aid, including immediate dispatch of vaccine and serum, to combat the plague.

The consul at Vera Cruz advised the department of the arrival there of vaccine and other medical supplies from the United States. Out of twenty-four cases of bubonic plague in Vera Cruz, twenty-three proved fatal, the consul stated. The Mexican authorities have stopped traffic with the interior by destroying railway tracks.

Peru exported 431,437.79 pounds of sugar, worth \$20,577.74 in 1919.

## Rheumatism Comes From Tiny Pain Demons

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To the Person Receiving the Most Votes in the Great  
**POPULARITY CONTEST**  
At Poli's Theater This Week During the Showing of  
**DE LUXE EDITION OF "THE WHIP"**

The contest starts Tuesday at the 2 o'clock performance and continues at every performance until Saturday night. Voting blanks, or ballots, will be given at the box office with every ticket purchased. With every orchestra ticket a ballot is given that is good for ten votes. With every balcony ticket a ballot is given that is good for five votes. You can vote for anyone. No one is barred except employees of the theater and the production. Cast your votes for the person you want to have win this beautiful piece of property in ALCOVA HEIGHTS. There will be a list of "Active Nominees" posted in the lobby of the theater every day. An active nominee is one who has received 250 votes or more. The most popular person will be decided upon Saturday night and will be announced in the Washington Herald of Sunday June 20. The winner receives the tract of land in ALCOVA HEIGHTS, ALCOVA HEIGHTS is on the Virginia Plateau. In sight of the Capitol. Three and a half miles from the White House. The property has fine shade trees; large green lots; 220 feet elevation above Pennsylvania Avenue. It is the lowest priced property near Washington. Immediate purchasers get choice of homesites at low prices, on easy terms. The present price range from \$250 to \$750, according to size and location. The terms will be arranged to suit the purchaser, who may pay as low as \$10 a month. THE HOME YOU HAVE ALWAYS WANTED MAY BE SECURED TODAY AT ALCOVA HEIGHTS. OWN YOUR OWN HOME. LIVE AS YOU SHOULD LIVE. ACT NOW.

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SEE THE DE LUXE EDITION OF "THE WHIP" AT POLI'S THIS WEEK, AND VOTE FOR THE MOST POPULAR PERSON IN WASHINGTON.

### HOW TO VOTE

When you buy your tickets you will be given a ballot good for a number of votes according to the ticket you buy. Balcony seats give five votes and orchestra seats ten votes. Fill in the name of the person to whom you wish your votes to be credited and drop it in the ballot box at the entrance.

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